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Home News and Events Transpired Since our Last Issue-Other Mtters Worthy of Care ful Consideration.

Thanks to the Secretary of Agriculture for copies of reports of the Microscopists and Food Products,

Little Gu'da Sheppard, the danghter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sheppard, 1936 Eleventh street, N. W. is sick with the scarlet fever. Little Guida is fast improving.

Mr. James Royal Howall is a blind man. He was born in Frank-In County, Va., Rocky Mountain the son of Thomas and Eliza Howall. He is 21 years of age, and is in Washington to have his eyes and ears attended to; he performs or the organ with melody. Address 913 Twelfth street. N. W.

Invitations are out for the .mar riage of Mr. Francis Upshaw, of the New York Tribune, to Mis-Ella Nhar, sister to the elocutionist. The marriage will take place Wednesday evening, Jap. 31st, in St. Luke's Church, at 7 o'clock p. m. Miss Nhar is an accom plished young lady, and Mr. Upshaw is one of the best known citi-

law for four years under one of the most eminent jurist in the country If the report is true that Mr. Cleveland has made up his mind to appoint Prof. Brown, no race of people would appreciate it more, than the colored people and no denomination would hail the appointment with more delight than the african methodists all over the world, the late Bishop Brown was loved by the entire race and no man had more influ nce amon: his people than the Bishop. This appointment will do more good than any negro appointment the Presi-

ALL DESTROYED.

The home and schoolhouse of Rev. E. W. Williams, of Abbeville. S. C., were destroyed by fire two weeks ago. The presumption is that the houses were set on fire by home of the enemies of Rev. Will iams. This distinguished divine and his wife have been doing good work in the South among the colored people.

Mr. Richardson, the private secretary of Hon. George W. Murray, and who has resided in the South for a number of years, speaks in the highest terms of Rev. Williams and his wife. The white people of Abbeviile and the very best colored people have been supporting these two ducators ever since they have

SPECIAL NOTICE.

W. Calvin Chase, a torney and coun sellor at law, has moved in his new down town office, 402 5th and D streets. 1. W., near the Courts, where he can be seen from 8 to 4. after which time be can be seen at his up town office, 110 I street, n. w. All kinds of law business attended to with c re.

BERGEN STAR CONCERTS.

At Nineteenth Street Baptist church, Rev. Walter Brooks, Pastor, Monday evening. January 15th At Metropolitan Baptist church, Rev. R. Johnson, Pastor, Tuesday evening January 16th Art sts; Flora Batson, Queen of Song, the real Patti of her race; W. I. Powell, Philadelphia's great Baritone and King of Fun; Mr. R. Henri, Strange. Prince of Elocutionists Miss Louisie Hamer, Washington's favorite contral Hamer, Washington's favorite contralto, and Madam V. Adele Nontgomery. of N. Y., accompanist Quee's, Kings and Princes will come with music, mirth a d melody, to gladen all hearts. And hard times shall not prevent, for everybody may come at 35 cents admission. For terms and deter address address. manager J. G. Bergen, Philadelphia

ELECTRICALLY BAKED BRICKS. The Current Simplifies an Important In-

dustrial Operation. A Western inventor has desired an ingenious arrangement for baking bricks by electricity. The machine is a simple contrivance, consisting of a table covered with from brick moulds, to which the electric current is applied. The table is 14 by 8 feet and holds 1,000 moulds, which are joined together like a lot of "pigeon holes." Each mould is the size of a brick which has been pressed, but not bake, and each has a loose cover so fitted as to follow the brick as it shrinks. bricks are taken from the presses and placed in the moulds, the covers justed and the current turned on. iron sides of the moulds form the "re-sistance" and the bricks are virtually inclosed by walls of fire. When bricks have shrunk to the right sinking covers of the moulds au matically turn off the current, the balling is done and the bricks are dumpe It is claimed that only three and one half hours are required to bake brick by this process, and they are harde and better than by the present method

Good Words for the Donkey, Of all horseflesh, so to speak, the patient, little, commonplace, every-day ass takes the lead. There is no denying him the palm. Were I a Homer or a Dante, or even a Holmes, I would indite an epic, or at least a rhyme, to the character, strength and courage of this noblest of the race. In every country where severe economies are thrust upon the people, the donkey comes to the rescue, and does the work which no other creature alive can do. He lives on nothing; he is rarely fed in times of drought or severe work some barley—but is turned loose to find what he may. He is never victous or obstinate, but works faithfully till his poor old ears flop downward from age, and he literally falls under his load and dies in his tracks, after serving his often cruel master some score or more of years. When he is put to work as a yearling he does not last so long. I have ridden one at eighteen months which had been trained but two weeks, and yet was gentle, bridle-wise and well-gaited. Where is there

Prof. Brown has been a resident of this city for a number of years, and was one of the young men who graduated from the college department of Howard University with high honors, and read law for four years under one of the cents, the wood nothing, and the donkey does all the work, what seems small profit is really a good one. And who is it that earns it?

All saddle beasts in the East go what our Anglomaniacs call "artificial" gaits. In fact, three-fourths of all the animals in the world do so. Mules which are ridden always "sidle" or amble; all donkeys running walk, rack, or amble. But nowhere except in our Southern States have these gaits been studied as an art, improved on and bred from The donkey in Algeria rarely has a saddle. He has a pad, very similar to the pad on which the bespangled queens of the sawdust ring dance their short hour to delighted boys and rustics. This pad has no stirrups, and is so wide as to make a seat on it extremely tiring to the uninitiated. The Arab sits astride or sidewise, and as the pad is rarely girthed, or at best by a slender rope, it is like walking a tight-rope or managing a birch-bark tight-rope or managing a birch-bark canoe to sit on it until you "catch on."
Between this pad, which serves equally for riding or loading, and the saddle of the Spahi there is a vast category of sizes and styles, all, however, much too wide. A pair of stirrups is often improvised by tying two bags together, putting them across the pad, turning in one corner, and thrusting the foot into the pocket thus made. The filmsy pretext for saddle or harness used all over the East would be cast on the dump by the poorest American farmer. He would not risk his bones with it.—Col. T. A. Dodge, in Harper's.

Very little remains of the London nooks and corners so vividly described nooks and corners so vividly described by Charles Dickens. Dickensland no longer has a real existence. But what does that matter? The trans-atlantic pilgrim to the shrine of the master clamors to be shown the house in which Mr. Pickwick lived, the court in which Mr. Krook made such a very uncomfortable end of it, the actual public house which displayed Mr. Samuel Weller's extensive and peculiar knowledge of London in so remarkable a degree, the Old Curiosity Shop, Tomall-alone's, the Wooden Midshipman and all the rest of it. Why should he not be gratified? Demand inevitably creates supply, and the vivid imagination of the guides stands in place of fact. Any old house the history of which is not clearly known serves to preserve an Illusion. A curious instance of the way in which people are sometimes quite unconsciously and innocentiy led into error in these matters, writes Dickens the younger, is to be found in John Forster's "Life of ters, writes Dickens the younger, is to be found in John Forster's "Life of Charles Dickens." Mr. Forster gives a picture of Taylstock House, which is, no doubt, accepted as a faithful repre no doubt, accepted as a faithful representation of the house as it was when Charles Dickens lived in it. But, as a matter of fact, it is not. A later temmt added a portice, or porch, to the street door; and this portice, of which Charles Dickens knew nothing, forures in the planter. figures in the picture. This is, per-haps, a trivial matter, but many of the Dickensland traditions have received gredence on very similar and equally

THEY SAY.

The Col. made; a good marsahal. He was genial and kind to all. In un'on there is strength

Read the BEE and be happy. Let us live in hope.

The Capital City Bank is one of the est in the country.

The directors are honest and re-Judge Kimba'l has no mercy for

he wrong doers. Is there hope for the wicked? Chris Perry is a hust'er from way

He is one of the quiet men of the

Col. Murrill has come out again with his trumpet. Carson remarked sometime ago that

is nephew had aid Murrill up. The Col. is not easily laid up. It is regreted that Col. Dan Rams-

ell has retired. The politicians are angry. Some people are never satisfied Never tell all you know.

It is wise to be a good listener at Be up and doing is what the people

want to see. sse Roy is one of the most interng sporting writers in this country.

knows what to say aud how to o. W. Stewart is one of the most

prising men in the Christ an Speak well of your fellow man.

All that glitters is not gold. Rev. J. Anderson Taylor is in the

cooperative association. Let all rest in peace.

Col J. W. Ross has the congratulations of his friends.

He is a good hearted fe'low. If you are hungry Bob. will not let

Don't fail to purchase stock in the great mining Company.

Miss Flora Batson, the queen or ong will be here on the 15th and

Don't fail to hear Miss Flora Bat

She is the greatest singer in the

The Hawaiian question is a puzzle. The President got in it and wil no doubt get out of i

He knows what he is doing no

Judge Gresham is the power behind The colored democrats are in the

District democrats are disappointed. Some men will disgrace females.

Alva C. Garnett should be made to pay the penalty of his offense. Rev. James H. Howard will be suc-

ceeded by Rev. Gibbons, son of the ate Wm. Gibbons. The members of his church want a

competent colored preacher. Rev. Howard will no doubt employ white lawyer to defend him.

Bob. Brown has not been out with is colt lately.

A person who will steal from Bob. Brown, will steal from his mother. Men are protected in their rascality out the women are not.

It is hoped that such a law will pass immediately. The recorder made a great speech

Tuesday night. He introduced the old man eloquent in glowing terms.

Mr. Douglass has notlost any of nis old time vigor. Men who commit bastardly acts

wi'l be held by the Court. Judges Miller and Kimball HAVEY() BOUGHT

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buyers. "All goods warranted." Note the following prices below:

Infants' shoes that were 35c, now 23c; Child's Dong. Patent Tip spring heel button worked buttonholes, 5 to 8, that were 67c, now 48c; Child's Kaug patent tip spring heel button, 5 to 8, that were \$1, now 75c; C bild's Dong. patent tip spring heel button (worked buttonholes), 84 to 11, that were 85c. now 67c; Child's grain sole leather tip, 84 to 11 that were 90c, now 74c; Misses' Dong. (worked bottonholes), patent tip spring heel button, 11 to 2, that were 85c, now 74c; Misses Dong. spring heel button, 12 to 2, that were \$1, now 76c. The famous Boston Bob. lost a jar of beans not long Misses shoes, Dong. patent tip and tips of the same button, that were go.

\$1.75, now \$1.30; Ladies' goat house slippers that were 50c, now 26c; Ladies' Dong. patent tip intton that were \$1.25, now 98c; Ladies Dong, patent tip Blucher lace that were \$1 75, now \$1 25; Ladies Dong. Jones and Curtis shoes, hand sewed. French process, that are worth \$2 50, for \$1 98. All styles and sizes, cloth top Dong, button, worth \$3, for \$2; every pair warranted; all Ladies' \$4 shoes, square and opera toes. Blucher lace, \$2 98; Boys' solid leather lace shoes, 1 to 5, that were \$1, now 76c; Youths' snoes, from 11 to 2, all solid leather, that were \$1 25, now 99; Boys' shoes with nickel brads in the bottom of soles, smooth and comfortable, the wear unsurpassed by any shoe on the market, reduced for this week only to \$1 25. Men's hand-sewed stick downs for tender feet that were \$1 50, for

\$1. Men's working shoes, all solid leather, for 98c. Men's hand process calf shors, all styles and sizes, that were \$2 50, now \$1 98. Men's parent leather Bluchers that were \$4, now \$2.98. Genuine call 5 p. m. Monthly meetings at Linformen, French toe, also Globe and N. Y. toes, all widths, styles and colo Memorial Church, cor 11th sizes, worth \$5, for only \$2 98.

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Congress ought to stand by the President.

The introductory address of the recorder was great.

Mr. Douglas lashed Mr. Langston on last Tuesday evening.

The old man eloquently made Langston feel that be was on bot

The taffy that Mr. Langston gave Mr. Douglass some time ago fell off on last Tuesday night.

No fair minded person will say that the President is wrong on the Hawaiian question.

The Republican leaders are in town, and now you may look for a hot campaign from beginning to finish.

The BEE is of the opinion that it is as much as some newspapers published in this city can do to at. tend to their own business. The BEE always makes its appearance on Saturday mornings.

The BEE is strongly impressed with the belief that the President intends to appoint the son of the late Bishop J. M. Brown Recorder of Deeds. The President would do a great act if the BEE's prediction turns out to be true.

A GREAT ENTERRISE.

Mr. Charles P. Grove, an enterprising and widely known colored gentleman, and President of the Moutana and Illinois Gold Mining Co., arrived in Washington last week, and is stopping at 240 Third street southwest: Mr. Grove will open a branch office in this city, as he has in Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis and other large cities, for the purpose of saling shares of stock in this company. Never be-fore did such an enterprise commend itself to the colored citizens of this country as does the Montana and Illinois Gold Mining Co. These mines are located in Jefferson County, Montana, one of the erty, and find them perfectly sound, and we commend the enone of the sure means of acquiring same time enable those who purchase shares with a view of living in Montana, to secure a nice building lot in Grove City. Mr. Grove has at his office a very fine assortment of the various specimens of gold and silver ores now being mined in this growing city. We invite friends to examine these specimens and other data, tus which will be furnished any one desiring information concerning the Montana and Illinois Gold Mining Co. It must be understood that in the articles of incorporation it is stipulated that no shares of the company shall be sold to white persons, for the first nized in May of this year, whose officials will all be c lored men. This will occur in rove City, Montana. Mr. Gr is so well known as one of 19 wealthiest the attorney for the company, is will try him again, under like with Mr. Grove to see to the legal | condi ions. part of the business. Six hundred acres of valuable land, well timbered, included in this plat.

CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS.

The well known Phillips Excursion Gompany have arranged to run weekly excursions to all principal weekly excursions to all principal a presumption of acceptance by the pur-California and other Pacific Coast chaser. In such case the seller is not cities from all points on the Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

The parties will leave the East on Wednesday of each week, commen cung January 15th. and passengers | Sthe law as laid down by the Supreme Judicial Court of Maine, in White et al. v. Harvey (27 Atl. Rep. 106). The Court, however, recognizes the right of will be booked through to destinat inspection or examination on the part of the buyer, unless such right has been on. There are no Pacific Coast tours offering as good accomodation at less expense. For full information address A. Phillips and Co, 1:1 S. Ninth street, Phildelphia, or call on nearest ticket agent B. & O. R. R. Company.

NO BETTER IN THE COUNTRY.

The Good work of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad in 1893.

The B. & O. R. R., the pioneer of th American Railway System, has of re cent years been renewing its youth, so to speak, and attracting to its lines a constantly increasing share of the pas constantly increasing share of the passenger traffic ceaselessly passing between the cities of the Atlantic seaboard and the great Mississippi valley as an evidence of this fact it may be stated that its revenue from passenger traffic was \$4,262,000 in 1888, while for the feed war ended line 20th 1899 (4) the fiscal year ended June 30th, 1893, it rose to \$6,618,000, being a gain of over fifty-five per cent. in the last five years. It will be noted that the last fiscal year ended June 30th, and that the heavy business to the World's Fair is not included in the figures, but will go to swell the gross receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1894. No road in America has had greater experience than the B. & O. in handlidg large volumes of passenger business, and none is able to do it better. Every four years it is called upon to transport the enthusiesuc thousands from the East, North and West to and from the presidential inaugurals, and it broke all previous recorods by its work during the Grand Army er campment at Washington. in 1892. Thus prepared by its past experi-ence the B. & O. was in position to take good care of the multitudes travelling to Chicago during the World's Fair, while it probably carried to and from Chicago a greater number of people than any other road of equal mileage, it is gratifying to be able to state that not a single World's Fair traveler was on the B. & O. system.—Balto. American, December 31, 1893.

STROLLS AMONG SPORTS

The time is not ripe for the an nual prediction that the Washington Base Ball Club will be "up among the leaders" when the season of '94 comes to a close. While the prediction has not yet materialized it is pretty safe to W. McKinlay, say that it will arrive pretty near to schedule time. The management of the institution from time at Archer, immemorial has been bounteous in promise, and sadly lacking in fulfilment, and there is no reas on at the present moment to be lieve that the usual programme will be changed. We venture to hope that the esstwhile state of affair will change and the close of the season now on, we can point with pride to what we have done, and not what we expected

The reported interview with from Canton, Ohio and that gained such publicity in the newspapers, has not the familiar ear-marks that are characteristic of "good old champion Peter." Knowing as I do, Jackson's taci turnity in reference to pugilism I do not hesitate to brand the interview as a "fake" As a performer along the lines of his

The leading colleges of the country are at their wits end to Masonic Temple. terprise fo our colored citizens as devise some means to remove as argument and eloquence failed to reach much as possible, the too rugged a good investment that will pay a and brutal elements that now enhandsome dividend, and at the ter so largely into the game of ter so largely into the game of which she clothed sermons in song foot ball. Such a desideratum is Manager J. G. Bergen, of Star oncert in accord with public sentiment fame, went to hear her, and was at once on the question, and the present agitation will doubtless lead to happy results.

Mr. Wm. H. Brackett, who had charge of the culinary branch of the trainining regimem of the victorious Princeton football team quartered at the Philadelteam quartered at the Philadelphia House was on his way to as well as the handsome prospec- Richmond to visit relatives Dec.

Geo. Dixon will be in Chicago the week of the 28th of the pres ent month, and if current rumors are true there is some warm work awaiting him there. Griffo who divides honors with Jerry Mar shall for the feather weight cham time in the history of Montana pionship of Australia has ex A city government will be orga- pressed an intention of going on with Dixon for the purpose of winning the \$50, the management medium size, beautiful form, modest offers to any one whom Dixon cannot stop or beat in four rounds. He vouchsafes the further inforcolored citizens

States that an intrate ion to the citizens of Wash. At a last state with the attorney for the company, is the attorney for the company, is colored citizens of Wash. At a last state with the attorney for the company, is company, is colored citizens of Wash. At a last state with the attorney for the company, is company, is colored citizens of Wash. At a last state with the will do a bit of from necessity, but because there is no dressm ker in New York, can do it as well.—From Dr. Scruggs' Book on Noted Women of the Race.

Let the people of Washington turn out and pack Nineteenth Street Baptist colored citizens. mation that he will do a bit of

> RULE OF LAW AS TO SALE AND DELIVERY OF GOODS.

From the Literary Digest, In an action for goods sold and de livered, where the goods were con tracted for in writing, to be delivered at a place agreed upon by the parties proof of delivery at such places raise bound to prove any actual acceptance the purchaser must disprove it. Such is the law as laid down by the Supreme

Deposits received from 10 cts upward. Interest allowed on \$5 00 and above. . . . Treasurers of churches, as ociations, and other organizations can deposit funds with this Bank andreceive interest. The money is subject to check without of a mine disaster are thus related by an old miner, says the Chicago Journal: notice, We shall be glad to have on open an account BANK OPEN FROM 9 A. M. TO 5 P. M

THE CULUMBIA DESK CAL ENDAR.

Which is issued annually by the Pope Manufacturing Company, of Columbia Bicycle fame, is out for 1894, much improved in appearance It is a pad cal-endar of the same size and shape as those of previous years, having a leaf for each day, but its attractiveness as been heightened by the work of a clever artist, who has scattered a serie of bright pen-drawings through i pages. It also contains, as usual, man appropriate and interesting contributions from people both bright and wiset

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> James Storum. A GREAT ARTIST.

A NOBLE WOMAN.

FLORA BATSON BERGEN.

Flora Bat-on was born in Washing-Peter Jackson that comes to us ton, D. C., in 1865. While but a babe her father died from wounds received in the war; at about three year : of age with her mother, she went to Provi dence, R. I, where she attended school and studied music: at this early age she commenced her professional career travelling extensively and singing two years for Storer's College of Harper's Ferry, Va., three years for the People's church of Boston, one year in Red-path's Lecture and Lycenm Bureau of richest gold and silver deposits in the United States. We have care—
former along the lines of his chosen profession Peter has no peer, but as an "orator" on the same subject, he wont do at all.

The leading colleges of the conveyance of this paths lecture and bytem and surface work under the management of Mr. Thomas Doutney. It was at this time, during a great temperance revival in New York, that Miss Batson sang "Six Feet of Earth Makes Us all of One Size," ninety areas and the lines of his chosen profession Peter has no peer, but as an "orator" on the same subject, he wont do at all.

The leading colleges of the lines of his chosen profession Peter has no peer, but as an "orator" on the same subject, he wont do at all. successive nights in the great hall of Thousands whom were transfixed and moved to tears (signing the pledge) by the magic sweet ness and the irresistable pathos with infatuated with her voice. The result was that he engaged her services a year 1 ter, and at the expiration of that year admiration for a great voice had grown into love for a noble woman, and Mispapers in this country and Europe com-mented on this bold defiance of American sentiment regarding the inter-

marriage of the races
One week after the marriage, in the presence of a large audience in Phila-delphia, she was crowned 'Queen of Song," and was presented with a magnificent crown and diadem set with precious gems; a month later, at Steinway Hall, Ne 7 York she was presented with a superb diamond cut bead necklace by the citizens of New York. In 1888 under her husbands magement, she entered upon a tour of the Continent, covering nearly t ree years.

Mrs. Fora Batso: Bergen is a lady of free from affectation, and it can be truthfully said of her, "Success has not turned her head." She cuts, fits and makes all her magnificent costumes, not

church on next Monday evening, Jan. 15, and the Met opolitan Baptist church on R street on Tuesday evening, to hear the Queen of Song, the King of Fun, the Prince of Readers, Washington's sweetest prima donna and other talent. The tickets are only 35 cents, and everybody should go.

The Afro American Blue book is out. Mr. James A. Ross is the manager. Advertisers should send their matter

not later than Thursday of each week, The latest report is that the President has decided to appoint Prof. W. L. Brown, son of the late Bishop J. M. Brown, who was such an admirer of Mr. Cleveland to the office of recorder of eds to succeed Hon. B. K. Bruce.

For a Good Many Years

A great many lawyers and real estate men have believed that the LAW RE-

porter Blanks were the best made in the this District. Everybody believes it now. "Quick and sure."

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HE WAS PENNED IN TO DIE.

Victim of a Mine Disaster Tells of Being Buried Alive. The feelings that come to the victim "I was working very quietly, away back from the shaft of the mine and all alone. My labors were interrupted by a dull, smothered roar that was followed by falling earth, and then I realized that I was penned in, that the mine was wrecked, and that my life

was worth very little.
"The noise soon died away, and things were much as they were before. But a little distance from my position the earth had fallen and blocked the path. I was at first overcome with fear. I imagined I could hear my brains grinding in a tunnel. Then I lost all consciousness.

"When I awoke again I was some what more calm, and began to move about. I crawled along over great banks of earth that had fallen for a distance of fully one hundred feet, then I heard groans, and I knew that I was near some injured miner. But here my progress stopped, and I had to

"A few hours later my light burned out, and then my misery was complete. For eight days I remained quite near that one spot, hoping against hope for deliverance. It came event-

"I heard the sound of picks, and some glimmer of the miners' lamps shone through various crevices. When an opening was made I crawled out, and I assure you that I gave thanks. "Yes, that's why people say I look ld now, when I am only thirty-five, and that is why my hair is gray. But I assure you that an aged expression and gray hair are endurable, but to starve to death in a mine is the awfullest and deadliest way to beat out a man's existence in this world that I can conceive of."

M. Camille Flammarion says that in all probability, notwithstanding all circumstances which threaten it, our planet will die, not of an accident, but a natural death. That death will be the consequence of the extinction of the sun, in twenty million years of more—perhaps thirty—since condensation in a relatively moderate rate wi give it on one hand seventeen millio years of existence, while, on the other hand, the inevitable fall of meteo into the sun may double this numb Even if you suppose the duration the sun to be prolonged to forty mill years, it is still incontestable that radiation from the sun cools it. that the temperature of all bot tends to an equilibrium. Then earth and all the other planets of system will cease to be the abode of life. They will be erased from the great book and will be great book and will revolve, cemeteries, around an extinguished Will these planets continue to even then? Yes, probably, in the of Jupiter and perhaps Saturn, beyond a doubt, for the small be such as the earth, Venus, Mars cury and the moon. Already the appears to have preceded us to the final desert. Mars is much advanced than the earth towards the advanced than the earth towards the same destiny. Venus, younger than us, will doubtless survive us. These little worlds lose their elements of vitality much faster than the sun loses its heat. From century to century, from year to year, from day to day, from hour to hour, the surface of the centh is transformed. On the shand, earth is transformed. On the one hand the continents are crumbling away and becoming covered by the insensibly and by slow degrees tends to invade and submerge the entire globe; on the other hand the amount of water on the surface of the globe is diminishing. A careful and reasonable calculation shows that by the action of erasure alone all the land on our

planet will be covered by water in

10,000,000 years.

Jim-Jam Vall Jim-Jam Valley, Cal., is nature's effective rival of the Keeley Institute at Dwight. It derives its name through the marvelous dipsomania cures it has effected by means of the strange phenomena seen within the mountain-in-closed valley. It is an arid place, and neither vegetation, ewitching place. can live within the On all sides, leaving only a small pass for an opening into it, the valley is surrounded by mountains, whose bold peaks are capped everlasting snow. efreshing rivulets trickle down from and sparkle for a brief time in the sands whereon sun ceaselessly shines with a heat at consumes them. The valley of the Jim Jams is the home of the mirage. After penetrating a short distance a panorama gigancopic tendencies, be-lefore you. Cities, a-like deserts, rivers tic, with kaleides gins to unfold mountains. Sahar bordered by the alms and ferns and grasses of the S thland, mule trains, mining scenes, ips at sea and other scenes reflected from distances more quiver in the atmos-and mix themselves in or less remote phere, descend the conglomera on of antics and conthe congiomera tortions and a in the extreme they that few valley once car periment. Co. is a place in A weird and grotesque And so appalling are who have entered the to make another ex. Majors says that there Arizona where scenes of present themselves, and that people deaths in th ave been led to their r efforts to locate Paradise, which also of an eemed so close. He tells the Southern Pacific had been in the habit of stopping at a certain hamlet, and it was at this place that a party tourists had desired to t was their surprise to see instead of a few rude houses a fine ing with life and trade. vanished. But an engineer who was party found the town that had been so accurately pictured a year the Gulf of California, 300 later on miles av

Could Happen Only In Kentucky. A young couple who attended the rday afternoon found themselves a very embarrassing predica-hey were just about to enter distand from the rear, when a whiskey dropped from the a man who was sitting on ng high above them. The botthe young man's shoulder, was broken. The contents ran his clothes and spattered on the of the young lady. Everywhere went so much attention was atted by the odor that they left in embarrasament, not caring to be dupon as walking distilleries.—

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Keep Them Separ Divorce Could N s of Married Life. ing occurred recently secret we the most unusual. The most peculiar fea-inge matrimonial event contracting parties had to each other nearly in Columbus. ture of the st been married twenty years igo, and quite recently John Walsh one of the best known and most respected citizens of Columand most rejected citizens of Columbus. The true was his former wife, Josephine, mose friends are among the oldest and best families of the city. Mr. yalsh is an extensive real Josephine, the oldest Mr. g, and has long been one thiest men of the North of the wo and Mrs. Walsh occupied home, and their married recent date, seemed to be an elegan life, until

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ic was profoundly surprise The pu to hear that Mrs. Walsh had sued for livorce on the grounds of inity of temper and harsh Every one who knew John ersonally was satisfied that Walsh he was suilty of no grievous wrong. The same people, or those of them who also knew Mrs. Walsn, were sure that she had been a good and faithful wife. ere, it soon came to be under that Mr. and Mrs. Walsh, be There of a combination of trivial concaus es and a mutual desire to avoid be disputes, had agreed to per-atly disagree by separating for-It was a very solemn step, and s not taken hastily. They con-al it several weeks while living ther beneath the same roof and in house both had called home for so years. Finally, however, Mrs. sh took the decisive action, and suit being uncontested, the courts did the rest. She was granted inconditional decree of divorce, and Walsh generously settled upon her goodly share of his estate. Mrs. alsh removed to No. 1411 Summit et, while her divorced husband took p his residence at the Park Hotel.

It was not long until both began to long for the old home, with its cher-ished memories and its many comforts, but pride stepped in when harsh feeling left, and they remained apart. Mrs. Walsh was perhaps not the greater sufferer of the two, but she was the first to succumb to the pains of separation. Putting back pride, chagrin, everything but the old devotion for her husband, she made the first overture Mr. Walsh was more slow to forget what he regarded as the great injury he had suffered. He hesitated, and for a time it seemed the divorce suit would outlive the rekindled fires of affection. One day recently Mrs. Walsh carried to her former husband's office deeds for all the property he had conveyed to her when the separation oc-curred. With these deeds she took to him others for all the property she had possessed before their marriage, was of considerable value. gave them to him, and then, standing there practically penniless and alone in the world, asked him to take her

back to his heart and home.
"I have made over all my property
to you, as you will observe by these deeds," said Mrs. Walsh, "and now I want to again be your loving wife, as of old. If you will not consent to a reunion, then I want to die, and I shall take my own life, leaving what I had

and what you gave me to you. Mr. Walsh thrust back the deeds to the property, and in their stead took to his arms the woman whose undying devotion had replaced her upon that pedestal in man's heart which can be occupied only by his wife. A marriage license was secured for the second time, and a ceremony duly performed. The affair has been kept very quiet, and this is the first announcement of the happy finale in the troubles of John and Josephine Walsh.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Notebook a Detriment. The young reporter may be known by the prominence which he gives his notebook. He produces it on all occasions and on no occasion at all. A young reporter who had failed to bring out the expected utterance from a prominent politician, and had nothing to show for his labor but a string of colorless platitudes, was lamenting his ill-luck to a veteran. "You used your notebook, didn't you?" asked the latter. The junior admitted the soft impeach-"You scared the game," the veteran; "you will never be a good interviewer until you throw away your notebook." And there is much truth in what the veteran said, if you have a good memory and the power of men-tal concentration to a high degree Without the presence of the notebook the really important public man will ait back comfortably in the most com-fortable chair in the room and let his and, if he is an ambitious man, and the interviewer smokes, he will give the latter a good cigar. Tobacco is a great aid to the indiscretion of utter-ance that is the making of a good interview.—Boston Transcript.

A Very Nice Game A young physician of this city is en-A young physician of this city is engaged to a very estimable young lady, and is permitted to visit her three times a week. The mother of the young lady is possessed of a very strongly developed sense of propriety and does not believe in familiarity, particularly kissing before marriage. She therefore arranged to have her little nephew with her on these visiting days to keep guard over the decorupdays to keep guard over the decorum of the young couple in the drawing-room while she attended to her house-hold duties. Now it happened during one of these

visits that mamma desired to speak to her daughter and entered the room her daughter and entered the room abruptly. She was amazed to see her seated on the physician's lap with both arms twined about his neck, while her nephew was groping about the room with his eyes tightly bandaged with the young man's handkerchief.

"Doctor!" the angry woman exclaimed, "what does this mean?"

But before the embarrassed couple

But before the embarrassed couple could reply her nephew answered:
"Why, auntie, he's teaching me to
play blind man's buff. Don't you
think it's nice?"—New York Herald.

An Attribute. Miss Sweetly-Are you a bull or a Jack Brokaw-Oh, I'm a bear, dar-

ing. Why?
Miss Sweetly—A bear! Oh, how nice! Then you—you must—— Jack Brokaw—Yes, whenever I get And he cornered her.-Bulletin,

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THIS WEEK'S NEWS.

A Summary of Current Events-The World's Doings for the Past Six Days Gathered and Condensed for Our Readers.

Six five-cent restaurants are now

unning in New York. Mrs. Ann Baldy, the oldest woman in Indiana, is dead at the age of 104

The Bank of England has been examined by the Government and pronounc-

and disease. Over one hundred New York editors

have formed a Republican State Editorial Association. Farm hands are in demand in Colo-rado and Dakota. The services of 4,500 have been engaged in Chicago. The Laffin & Rand powder mill at Rifton, Ulster County, N. Y., blew up on the 6th inst., and four men were

Fifteen thousand men and boys are waiting at various points along the Hudson River for the ice harvest to

A Chicago special says a small dividend on World's Fair stock will probably be paid about the middle of the

Mayor Manning veteed the resolution of the Albany Common Council for the strict enforcement of the Sun-

Governor Flower has ordered that the New York Custodial Society for Feeble Minded Women, at Newark, be

investigated. Huyler Westervelt, the famous pitcher of the New Jersey Athletic Club, has signed a contract with the New

York league club. The steamer A. L. Mason struck a snag at Delta Landing, Miss., and was sunk with a loss of \$175,000. Three persons were injured.

May Barrowcliff, the young woman assaulted in Jersey City, gives signs of returning consciousness, but thus far her memory is a blank. British troops have been fired upon

by the French in Senegambia, but it may have been blunder, as both forces were hunting native marauders. An explosion in the Albany Theatre

Saturday last caused the total destruction of the building. The city building adjoining was considerably damaged. Governor Flower has ordered all employees of the State to undergo civil service examinations, and all persons not properly qualified must vacate

The citizens of Jacksonville, Fla., propose to form a law and order league to prevent the Corbett-Mitchell fight. They are determined to prevent the fight at any cost.

spring. Call in early to see them, murder. The arrests for lesser crimes were nevr so numerous, and the jails are overflowing. Hon Marius Schoonmaker, of Kings-

ton, N. Y., a well-known politician and lawyer, died on the 6th inst., aged eighty-three years. He held a number of important offices. The latest reports from Brazil indi-

cate that the Government is more than holding its own against the insurgents, facts are difficult to learn. The Capital Savings Bank and the The Ohio Farmers' Alliance, in con-

vention at Columbus, adopted a resothe most reliable institutions in the lution unanimously demanding that ty.

President Cleveland remove J. Sterling Morton, Secretary of Agriculture. Britain is to have thirty-two new warships, among them two battle-ships, to cost \$5,000,000 apiece, and a cruiser designed to be the biggest, swiftest and most powerful in the

> Andrew Carnegie, on the steamer as he is about to start for Egypt, told a reporter that he is not afraid of the income tax, and that he would like to see so low a tariff established that it

> would be a permanent one. The cutter Corwin has arrived at San Francisco from Honolulu. The Captain stated to a United Press reporter that there had been a big row in Hawaii, and that the Queen was probably back on her throne.

An Austrian has invented a powerful shears for cutting torpedo nets on war-ships. The shears are attached to the head of the torpedoes, and they gash the net without reducing the speed of the torpedo or exploding it.

Dr. Parkhurst, in a published statement, indirectly charges District At-torney Nicholl and the extraordinary Grand Jury with dishonesty in not se-curing the indictment of Police In-spectors Williams and Schmittberger.

The New York Mercantile Exchange has approved Governor Flower's suggestions in his annual message for the suppression of the sale of oleomargarine, and endorsed Senator Hill's Senate bill to protect the dairy inter-

Bradstreet's reports that resumptions of work in industrial lines were very numerous last week. There were re-ported 480 business failures through-

out the United States, as compared with 318 the week before and 313 in

Civil service reform is being enforced at Albany, N. Y. Thirteen colored laborers about the capitol building all went down trying to spell "arithme-tic" "Ain't dat great," said one of the unfortunates, "makin' us take a zamination to clean spittoons?"

A sensitive hangman in Australia cut his throat rather than hang a woman. The Pope has written another, more emphatic, letter upholding the Repub-

lie in France. Dissolute women driven out of New York city are taking refuge in Canada

in large numbers. The cruiser Olympia's speed being officially determined as 21.686 knots,

the builders get \$400,000 premium. Mgr. Satolli is to be elevated to a cardinalate, it is reported, at the consistory expected to meet in March. The French Government will promptly apologize for the slaughter of British troops by a French force in Slerra Germany is thought to be trying to turn the Sicilian outbreak to account in provoking war between Italy and

Money was never before more plenty in Wall street, and loans are easy. There is a decidedly bullish tendency in stocks.

Premier Rhodes threatens that if Britain meddles too much in South Africa the African colonies "may deal elsewhere.

The crank who fired a revolver at Delmonico's uptown restaurant in New York was convicted of assault in the second degree.

Chicago bandits bound the clerk of a loan office, covered him up with The D. Lathrop book company, of clothes, stole between \$5,000 and \$10,-Boston, has failed with liabilities of 000 and escaped.

Germany's Chancellor writes that re-cent events in the United States and A Montevideo dispatch reports Ad-miral Mello suffering from wounds India have increased the importance of the silver question. Col. William L. Brown and Isidor Straus are Tammany's candidates for

> troller Fitch's seats in Congress. Capt. Lendy, killed in Sierra Leone, wrote to England last July that he should not be surprised to see French soldiers on British territory in West

District-Attorney Fellows's and Comp-

Irish Nationalists may overthrow the Gladstone Government unless they get guarantees that Home Rule shall be kept at the head of the ministerial pro-

The rumor is revived at Washington of the contemplated resignation of Attorney-General Olney and the appointment of Postmaster-General Bissell as Attorney-General. The alleged deficit in the Chicago city treasury has resulted in the appointment of W. T. Ackerman, late

Auditor of the World's Columbian Exposition, as Comptroller. There has been a battle in Honduras between the Government troops on the one hand and the rebels and their Nicaraguan allies on the other. There

are conflicting reports as to the result. Nearly all the persons arrested for bribery and repeating in Albany during the late election have been dis-charged for lack of evidence. Two or three cases will be sent to the Grand

The Florida Methodist Conference passed resolutions calling for the suppression of the Mitchell-Corbett prize fight. Governor Mitchell telegraphed the conference: "I shall endeavor to do my duty."

Bishop McNierny, of the Albany dio-cese of the Roman Catholic Church, is dead. He was one of the most distinguished American prelates of the church, and a member of the Board of Regents of New York. Governor Waite, of Colorado, has re-

quested the Legislature to impeach Attorney-General Engley on the ground that he has refused to give legal advice to the Governor, State Treasurer and Auditor when requested. A Philadelphia dispatch says: Ex-General Master Workman Powderly and ex-General Worthy Foreman Hugh

Cavanaugh are under indictment be-fore the General Executive Board, and in a fair way to be expelled from the Newspapers at Berlin state that the recent massacre of Catholic at Krosche, Russia, by Cossacks, was due to the express order of Gen. Kakhanoff, Governor of Vilna. The papers de

clare that sixty persons were killed and 100 injured by the Cossacks. Gen. Gourko, the Russian command-er at Warsaw, is again reported to be near death. Numerous explanations of Gourko's illness have been given. One is that he was poisoned, another that he has gangrene of the foot, and a third that he has a complication of

nervous diseases Miss Helen Cook, daughter of John L. Cook, a millionaire lumberman of Toronto, Canada, was married to Walter Henry Cooper, a private in the local Infantry school, whose pay is but thirty cents per day. Miss Cook, who is very handsome, is only sixteen. Cooper is nine years her senior. Her rents will take the couple to Europe,

and Cooper will study medicine. While Rev. G. B. Chambers was holding religious services at Lima, O., Thursday night, James Chaveus and Alex Rogers created a disturbance. The pastor remonstrated, when Rogers tried to get at him, but stopped at a stove, where Chambers met him with a poker. A pitched battle ensued, the pastor striking Rogers to the floor and pounding him so badly that he will die.

GENERAL MARKET REPORT.

Latest Quotations From the Leading Trade Centres. NEW YORK.—Markets have continued dull, ecompanied with decline in some articles, we

quote:
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1. Northern, 7134c; rye, No. 2, 50c at 57c; corn.
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HAY—75c a 90c per 100 lbs.

FEED—Bran, 80c a 85c; middlings, 85c a rye, 75c a 90c.

Tye, 750 a 900.

Lity Stock—Steers, common to extra, \$3.70 a \$5.00; cows, and bulls, \$2.00 a \$3.75; calves \$5. a \$8.50; sheep, \$4.25 a \$4.75; lambs, \$3.50 a \$5.00; hogs, \$5.50 a \$6.00.

LITE POULTEX—Fowls, 9c; chickens, 9 a 10c;

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls, 90; chickens, 9 a 10c; spring ducks, 75c a \$1.00 per pr; turkeys, 12c a 13c; geese, 12c.

DRESSED POULTRY—State, fresh fowls, 11c; chickens, 11c a 13c per lb; ducks, 12c a 14c; turkeys, 14c a 16c; geese, 13c a 14c.

WOOL—Fine unwashed, 12c; medium coarse unwashed, 14c a 15c; fine washed, 15c; medium and coarse washed, 18c a 20c; choice fine scoured, 34c a 37c.

Aged Banker Hershfeld, of Helena Mont, who married a young shopgirl, and seventy-year-old Banker Cannon, of Spokane, Wash., who married a handsome young New York woman against the protests of his family, are both involved in domestic troubles.

New and damaging evidence has been secured in the Coughlin trial at Chicago. An electric light operator testified that on the night of the mur der of Dr. Cronin he saw a horse and wagon rapidly coming up the street, and, turning his light on it, he saw that it contained three men and a trunk. One of the men was Dan Coughlin, whom he knew well. Coughlin was sitting on the trunk. He failed to testify on the first trial owing to his wife's fears that he would be killed.

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ROY'S SPORTING NOTES.

Fred Morris "Muldo on's Cy from en ui. In these "piping imes of eace" the fighter of limi ed regulation find it ra her difficult to find a club obliging enough to hang up a purse for hem, and they are simply growing sale for lack of some hing to

Peter B. Meredith who has been Il for the past week, is now, to the ratification of his host of friends on the high road to convalescence.

There is one thing in connection with the Corbet:-Mitchell fight in view of the circumstances that is reasonably certain, and that is, whatever the result of the battle the mansegment will come out at the small
REAL ESTATE ever the result of the battle the manend of the financial horn. The lack of confidence in the management to to "pu'll off" the fight, and the uncertainty every apparent will deter the northern sports sports from making the journey in anyth ng like large numbers, and with the northern contingent counted out of it, the attendance of the southern genus will but poorly make up their loss.

A bastardly law is needed.

The board of guardians will recommend a law to Congress that will protect the women.

LOCALS

Judge Miller's father is dead. Mr. Albert A. Wilson, formerly U.S. narshal under Mr. Cleveland's last administration has been renominated and

Hon, B. K. Bruce presided with digity at the Douglass lecture on last Tuesday evening.

Its new dress and enlarged edition will contain portraits of many distin-guished men. It will be the most inter esting paper in the country.

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Does the Rest. "As lazy as a fisherman" is a proverb of general acceptance, but it is a safe bet that there are fishermen along the Hudson River who can grand discount the men about whom the proverb was first made, says the Oswego Times. These Hudson River men have a contrivance by which they are spared the labor of holding the line as they sit on the river bank or on the end of a dock and fish for the festive tomcod and the succulent eel. In fact, they needn't sit at all if they don't want to. They may lie down and go to sleep if they feel like it, and most of them do. therein is their laziness superior to that of the ancient angler, who had to keep awake or lose his fish.

Like most great inventions, this promoter of laziness is exceedingly simple It consists of a pointed stick, a piece of whalebone and a bell. The bell is fast ened to the whalebone, the whalebone is fastened to the stick, the stick is stuck firmly in the earth or in a crevice of the dock; the line is fastened to the whalebone near the top of the stick, and there you are. The angler baits his hook and throws over his line, and The then settles himself for a nap. foolish fish comes along, takes the bait, rings the bell, and announces that he is caught and wants to be taken up.

An angler new to this style of fishing. who set his line and went to sleep beside it, thought when he got a bite that it was the breakfast bell at home and growled as he rolled over that he'd be darned if he'd get up. In rolling over he knocked the stick out of the crevice, and the fish darted away with his line. He awoke just enough to real ize that his tackle was disappearing. and as it went over the end of the dock went after it. It took four men to fish him out, but he had the line with him, and the biggest eel that was caught that day.

The White Horse of Lambourne. In Berkshire, England, is situated a hill on the steep sides of which is the figure of a gigantic horse whose dimensions are almost an acre in extent. The head, neck, body and tail of this wonderful figure consist of wide white lines, as does also each of its four legs. The outlines of this monstrous specimen of the genus equinus are formed by cutting trenches in the chalk, of which the hill is mainly composed, the ditches being from two to three feet deep and about ten feet in width. The

chalk of the trenches being of a beau-tiful white and the surroundings the greenest of the green, makes the figure of the horse plainly discernible at a distance of about twelve miles. This is the famous "White Horse of Lam-The white horse is known to have

been the standard of the Saxons and some have supposed that this monster emblematic figure was made by Hen gist, one of the Saxon kings. Mr. Wise, an antiquarian who has written much on the White Horse of Berkshire, brings in several arguments to prove that this from Alfred during the reign of Ethel-red, his brother, and that it is a monument to a victory over the Danes in the year 871. Other well-known writof the opinion that the cele, brated White Horse is a natural freak one of nature's oddest oddities. Ashmead-Burrton thinks that the early tribes noticed that the outlines of the freak resembled a horse to a certain extent and that they worked it into its present shape; at least that they gave the outlines their present graceful sym-

However this may be, it has been the custom since time out of memory for the neighboring peasants to assemble on a certain day of each year, usually about midsummer, to clear away the weeds from around the White Horse and to trim the edges of the trenches so as to preserve the color and shape. This task is known all over England as "Scouring the White Horse."

Few people in this country imagine what terrible work a volcano of the regulation size can do when it once gets fully aroused. In 1838 Cotapaxi threw its fiery rockets more than 3,000 feet above the crater, and in 1857, when the blazing mass confined in the same mountain was struggling for an outlet, it roared so loud that the awful noise was heard for a distance of 600 miles. In 1797 the crater of Tungurague, one of the great peaks of the Andes, flung out torrents of mud and lava which dammed up a great river, opened new lakes, besides making a eposit of seething mud, ashes and lava 600 feet deep over the whole area of a valley which was twenty miles long and averaged 1,000 feet in width. The stream of lava which flowed from Vesuvius in 1837 and passed through the valley of Terre del Greco is estimated to have contained 333,000,000 cubic feet of solid matter. In 1760 Aetna poured out a flood of melted stones and ashes which covered eighty-four square miles of fertile country to a depth of from ten to forty feet. On this occasion the sand, scoria, lava, etc., from the burn-ing mountain formed Mt. Rosini, a peak two miles in circumference and over 4.000 feet high.

In the eruption of Vesuvius in the year 79 A. D., the time of the destruction of Pompeii, the scoria, ashes, sand and lava vomited forth far exceeded the entire dimensions of the volcano itself, while in 1660 Aetna disgorged over twenty times its own mass. Vesuvius has sent its ashes into Syria, Egypt and Turkey. It hurled stones of 800 pounds weight to Pompeii, a distance of six English miles, during the gets his muscular steam up, as you eruption of 79 A. D. Cotapaxi once projected a block of stone containing over 100 cubic yards a distance of nine will see for yourself when you realize the fact that the whale moves through the water with a velocity which, if and a half miles.

Overworked Cabinet Wives.

A woman, whose husband was in the Cabinet throughout an entire ad-ministration, has said that during the four years that they were "in office" she spent nearly her entire time in cataloguing and returning her numer-ous visits. "Four or five days of every week in the season," she said, "I actually took my lunch in the carriage and started out at 12 o'clock in my endeaver to catch up with my visiting book before my next reception day brought a fresh batch of callers to overwhelm me. It was the most dispiriting thing imaginable and was the hardest work I ever did. Something ought to be done to relieve the wives of the Cabinet officers from such a

Economy laughs at hard times.

AIRTIGHT STEAMSHIPS.

A Curious Scheme to Save Vessels From Loss by Sinking.

An English mechanical genius has devised a method of indicating and stopping a leak by the use of com-pressed air. He divides a ship into airtight compartments fitted with doors provided with packing material and connected by tubes with a room on deck, called the "switch-room." In this room is a junction chest supplied with compressed air from fixed or portable compressors, and so arranged that the air can be delivered to any of the compartments. Other tubes lead from the compartment from which water can be forced out when requir ed, and electric indicators are connected with the switch-room to indicate the accumulation of water any of the compartments. Should the vessel "spring a leak" the indicator will show which compartment is affected, so that the compressed air may be forced in to drive the water out.

invention also includes the means for indicating the position of a sunken ship, this being accomplished by means of a buoy connected to a coiled rope. To refloat the vessel a diver can descend and connect the junction chest with the various compartments so that by supplying compressed air the water will be ejected and the vessel floated. Other objects of the invention are the prevention of fire and means for extinguishing the same, and also for ventilating the

Presumptive Proof.

Mr. James W. Clarke, in a paper on 'Problems of Presumptive Proof' in the Atlantic, shows that circumstantial evdience is usually all that is available in the case of serious crimes:

"It needs no brilliant jurist, however, to teach us the plain and simple truth that men do not commit crimes openly and in the light of day, but stealthily and in the darkness of con-The very root of the word cealment. 'murder,' taken from the old common law (murdrum), conveys the idea of concealment. A man about to forge a note does not call his neighbor and bid him watch the forgery. Neither does a man about to commit a murder announce his intention either to the proposed victim or any of his friends. Burglars are not accustomed to ring the front-door bell before picking the lock of the back door, nor do they, as a rule, leave their photographs on the entered premises to assist in their pursuit and identification. So that, until human nature is essentially changed, we may conclude with certainty that the overwhelming majority of criminals must either be punished upon indirect evidence or not at all; and the more enormous the crime and the more severe its punishment, the more certain it will always be that proof of guilt, nine times out of ten, cannot be

direct, and must be presumptive. "While the popular notion is that wrongful convictions on circumstantial evidence have been numerous, the records of the courts and the data afforded by history point to the converse conclusion, and suggest more strongly the perils of what is called direct evi-The most memorable miscarriages of justice on record are not those in which circumstantial evidence and mere presumptions made thereon led to unjust verdicts, but those in which either direct evidence, or dence which, though not absolutely direct, was apparently open to no sort of reasonable doubt, led to the conviction and execution of men and women who were afterwards shown to been entirely innocent of the which brought home to them."

Burning-Glass of Ice

A few years ago an English profes-sor caused quite a little excitement among a party of skaters on Serpen tine River by making a lens of ice and lighting his pipe with it, says the Phil-

This reminds the writer that this curious experiment was first brought before the public by the great Dr. Scoresby, who, when in the polar regions, to the great astonishment of his companions, who did not understand why the ice did not freeze the solar rays, performed a similar feat. It may worthy of remark that Prof. Tyndall, when a teacher in the Royal Institute, on several occasions set fire to little heaps of powder with rays from an electric arc concentrated by a lens of ice. His explanation was

Although ice absorbs rays of certain waves of light and is gradually melted thereby, there are other kinds of waves which it does not absorb, and it is these that produce heat at the focus of the bar of light which passes through

the ice.

In short, it is wholly a question of the relative motions of the molecules of frozen water and those of the waves of the more penetrating rays of light.

Ocean Greyhounds Left Behind.

We land creatures are very proud of ourselves. We think we are so superior in every way to the creatures that dwell in the seas, and when we discover that we can make a steamship which, under favorable conditions, can travel from New York to Queens-town in a trifle under six days, we call that vessel an ocean greyhound. Why we should give a greyhound the credit for all the speed in creation—among living things—is not quite clear to those who know something about whales. The whale is not only a creature of great strength, but he is one of the most rapid of moving things. He can go faster than a locomotive when he the water with a velocity which, if continued at the same rate, would en-able him to encircle the whole earth in less than fourteen days. Considering this, one might properly ask, why ocean greyhounds? Why not "steam whales?"—Philadelphia Press.

Walking-Sticks for Women.

If you have not seen the new ladies' walking-stick you will do so before long. The stick has the appearance of an umbrella, rolled extremely tight and slender to a degree. The handle, in ebony or light walnut, with a gold band, is convenient to hold, says the St. Louis Post-Despatch. Nothing, in-deed, could be smarter. Many women who love walking with a support fore-go the pleasure because of the mannish look of the ordinary stick. The mock umbrella changes all this. It has, moreover, the advantage of being as light as a feather. We may expect to see it before many days are passed. IS ADA REHAN BOW-LEGGED!

Or why Do Women Giggle at Montana's Big Silver Statue of Justice. It has been frequently noticed by men who visited Montana's exhibit at the World's Fair since the silver statue

of Justice was unveiled that who there was a party of women without escorts around the statue they invariably got to laughing at a great rate, as if they had made some great discovery, which was just too good to let the horrid men into the secret of. Yesterday, however, in an unguarded

moment, one of these unconscious crit-ics let the cat out of the bag. There were four or five of them standing around the statue gazing at her classic pose, when one of them, who had been looking intently at the ankles of burst out with: "Oh, girls, she's bow-legged-just look?"

There was a gathering of heads in one place, and a craning of necks and much raising and lowering of eyes, as if trying to mentally follow the direction taken by Justice's ankle where it was lost under the folds of her toga. Then there was a unanimous nodding of heads and a great deal of giggling. as if the discovery constituted one of the rarest jokes ever heard of.

A careful survey of the lines of Just tice's right ankle confirms the criticisms passed upon her by the wo There can be no question that, taking the original departure of the ankle from the foot upon which it rests and extending it in a straight line, the upper end would leave the main trunk of the statue somewhere about three feet above the pedestal, and, if further projected, would strike the roof of Mines Building about 150 feet north of the point immediately over her head The only possible way for her ankle to reach the main trunk of her body after starting out the direction it has is to a sort of horseshoe bend somewhere about the knee joint.-Chicago

Hand to Hand with a Grizzly. Ira Dodge, a hunter and trapper of this section, who on November 2, last year had a bear fight that will be-come historical, is back at Evanston, Wyo., from Salt Lake, where he has been under the treatment of an oculist, says an exchange. At the end of the combat Dodge had a few more than one hundred wounds on his body. His only attendant for three months was his wife. She was a skilful and devoted nurse, but could do nothing for the eye. Happily the use of this member has been restored. Dodge is lame yet, but is able to be about. Of his

encounter with the bear he says: "Early on the morning of November 2 I saw three grizzlies at the edge of the timber a mile from Green River. To get them all meant a big bagging, and I thought I could do it. I tied my horse and went after them. I knocked down one and then a second, but could not find the third. The two down bawled like calves getting branded. I returned to the first and threw another bullet behind his shoulder. He lay still until I was within ten feet of him. He rose and rushed at me. my hat into his face and jumped back and gave him a shot. The shell from my last explosion stuck in my rifle. I dropped the gun and pulled my knife, for the bear was upon me. I drove the knife into him half a dozen times clear to the hilt, but he did not

seem to mind it. He knocked the knife from my hand. Then I stuck my fist into his mouth and he nearly took off my arm. He was biting and scratching me all over when I became un conscious. I suppose he felt himself dying and crawled away to accept the end alone. They always do that if possible. When I came to again I crawled on my hands and knees to my horse. I was bleeding all over and almost naked. The horse smelled my blood and the blood of the bear. For the first time since I have had him he stood still for me to mount. He carried me twelve miles to my cabin, where Mrs. Dodge saved my life by nursing me. I am going back in a few days to get my rifle and see the dead

Ternyson's Religion.

bears.

John Addington Symonds, relating a conversation between Gladstone and Tennyson, in his "Recollections" of the latter, records the laureate as saying of the incognizability of manner:

"I cannot form the least notion of a brick. I don't know what it is. It's no use talking about atoms, extension, color, weight. I cannot penetrate the brick. But I have far more distinct ideas of God, of love and such emo-

tions.
"I can sympathize with God in my poor way. The human soul seems to me always in some way—how, we do not know—identical with God. That's the value of prayer. Prayer is like opening a sluice between the great

cean and our little channels."
Then of eternity and creation he said: "Huxley says we may have come from monkeys. That makes no difference to me. If it is God's way of creation he sees the whole, past, present and future, as one." Then of morality: "I cannot but think moral good is the crown of man. But what is it without immortality? Let us eat and dfink, for to-morrow we die. If I knew the world were coming to an end in six hours would I give my money to a starving beggar? No; if I did not believe my-self immortal.

self immortal.

"I have sometimes thought men of sin might destroy their immortaliay. The eternity of punishment is quite incredible. Christ's words were parables

to suit the sense of the times."

Further of morality: "There are some young men who try to do away with morality. They say, 'We won't be moral.' Comte, I believe, and perhaps Mr. Grote, too, deny that immortality has anything to do with being moral." Then from material to moral difficulties: "Why do mosquitoes exist? I be-lieve that after God had made his world the devil began and added some-

"What do we do with old shoes that are left here?" said a shoe dealer, re-peating a customer's question. "Well, we never do anything with them.
There's a pile in the yard now waiting
for the ash man to carry off. If, while
it is there, any old bum wants to be
shod we send him out and let him take shod we send him out and let him take his pick. But I know one shoe store that keeps all its cast-offs for a collector. In fact, I'm not sure that he doesn't pay a little something for them. Haven't the least idea what he does with them, but shouldn't wonder if you could buy the best of them afterwards in Hester street for ten cents a pair in Hester street for ten cents a pair and, for all I knew, some of them may be worked over the cheap stock."

POWER OF PLAIN MEN.

ador Advises His King to Make Peace Without Delay, When the British officer dined with Gen. Marion and found American officers and soldiers content with a meal of baked potatoes he thought it useless for England to undertake to conquel such men. The following incident proves that the Ambassador of Philip III. of Spain made a similar discovery

says an exchange. Philip III. of Spain sent his Ambassa dor to treat with the states of Holland about recognizing their independence. When the great man arrived he was shown into an ante-chamber and told that if he waited in that room he would see the members of the State pass by

The Ambassador waited very patient and seeing none but a number of plainly dressed men carrying bundles in their hands or under their arms, which bundles contained their food and clothes-for many of these persons came from different parts of the State he turned to his interpreter and asked him when the States would come. The man replied:

persons whom you have this moment seen are the members of the

Upon hearing this the Ambassador lost no time in writing to the Com-mander-in-Chief of the Spanish army to advise his royal master to make peace without delay, saying in explan

"I expected to have seen in the States a splendid appearance, but in-stead of that I saw only a parcel of plainly dressed men with very sensible faces, who came into the council with their provisions in their hands. Their parsimony will min the King, my mas ter, in the course of the war if it is continued, for there is no fighting with people who can live upon a few pence a day and their nobles upon a shilling, and who will for nothing do everything that their country requires."

The King had the good sense to listen to this sage advice and agreed to treat with these Hollanders as an independent State, and thus put an end to the

The Bunco Game. The bunco steerer has as many tricks as a mule, and what he doesn't know worth knowing. His vxictims aren't always green countrymen,

The bunco steerer doesn't confine himself to one line of operations. All is fish that comes to his net. He is willing to show gentlemen who have lost their way where there is a good hotel, and incidentally to put them on to a square game. He works with the green goods men and brings them victims when the gambling dodge won't work, and when a victim discloses amorous propensities he always knows a frail lady who will help to play the badger game upon him. The bunco steerer used to be in the

habit of greeting a stranger effusively as "Judge Smith, of Wayback." formed with much dignity of his error he passed the word to his pal, who ently went off with 'Squire Jones, of Goshtown, and told him a lot about the folks "to hum."

This doesn't work now. The papers have printed the story so many times that the first renconter would awaken Squire Jones's suspicions. The present method is to get the names from the hotel registers by various devices of a number of visitors from rural districts and then to make a hasty study of

Suppose a man comes from Swanton Centre, Vt. An air of verisimilitude can be given to a bald and uninteresting narrative by a study of the gazet teer and map. And when a man says:
"Why, 'Squire Jones, how are you?
Don't remember me, I suppose. Saw
you once at the Centre, but that was ears ago. I'm from Franklin myself. Been here four years now," it's very convincing, especially when backed up by some bit of State gossip, easily gleaned from the Boston, Springfield and Albany papers. And the 'Squire who hesitates is lost.

It is only in the case of the most transparently stupid visitor that the clumsy old device can be worked any longer. But by more subtle methods I've known even a city man of some experience to be taken in. Only the newspapers don't print it! He never

Pen Etching of the Pope I found the Pope more spiritualized, with a personal radiance more be-nignant, less of a king and more of an apostle. A gentle benevolence, half afraid, it would seem, lurks in the curve of his lips and shows itself only in his smile and, at the same time, the straight, strong nose reveals the willthe unbending will, one that can waft. Leo XIII. resembles a saint in some cathedral window, but what attracts and rivets attention almost as much his face are the hands-long, deltcate, transparent hands, with contours of unrivaled purity-hands which seem, with their agate nails, offerings of precious ivory, laid upon a shrine. His voice has a far-away sound as if it had traveled to a distant country on the wings of prayer, and loved rather to soar towards heaven than to stoop to mortal ears. Nevertheless, in con-versation it returns from the Gregorian monotone with a note in major key. Besides a mere trifle, a local habit lends his discourse a peculiar savor, a spice of nationalty. Though the Pontiff speaks correct and elegant French, at every moment the typical Italian exclamation "ecco" breaks in with its two crackling syllables.-Vincentown Gazette.

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of girlhood and is to them one who is competent to advise with judgment gained from actual experience.

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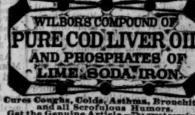
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